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SUBJ: CAREER DIPLOMAT LUPINACCI NAMED FOREIGN RELATIONS
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1. JULY 14, JULIO CESAR LUPINACCI GABRIEL, A CAPABLE, POLISHED
AND EXPERIENCED CAREER DIPLOMAT, WAS SWORN IN AS VICE MINISTER
OF FOREIGN RELATIONS REPLACING ENRIQUE DELFANTE. WITH LUPINACCI'S
APPOINTMENT, THE CHANGEOVER IN THE URUGUAYAN FOREIGN
MINISTRY'S TOP RANKS NOW APPEARS COMPLETE, WITH THE TOP THREE
POSTS IN THE HANDS OF MODERATE PROFESSIONALS.

2. LUPINACCI IS A LAWYER WHO HAS SERVED SINCE DEPTEMBER 1976
AS LEGAL ADVISOR TO THE FOREIGN MINISTRY, WHICH A SPECIALTY
IN LAW OF THE SEA MATTERS. FROM SEPTEMBER 1975 TO JULY 1976,
HE WAS AMBASSADOR TO VENEZUELA. FROM 1969 TO 1975, HE SERVED
IN THE FOREIGN MINISTRY IN VARIOUS LEGAL CAPACITIES, HEADING
OR PARTICIPATING IN GOU COMMISSIONS WHICH NEGOTIATED A
SERIES OF SIGNIFICANT REGIONAL TREATIES. PREVIOUSLY
(1967 - 1969) LUPINACCI WAS THE SENIOR SPECIALIST IN
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THE LEGAL AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT OF THE OAS SECRETARIAT IN
WASHINGTON.

3. A GRADUATE OF THE FACULTY OF LAW AND SOCIAL SCIENCES OF
THE UNIVERSITY OF THE REPUBLIC, LUPINACCI HAS BEEN A PRO-
FESSOR OF PUBLIC INTERNATIONAL LAW AT THE SAME INSTITUTE AS
WELL AS AT THE MILITARY ACADEMY AND THE NAVAL WAR COLLEGE.

HE IS A FOUNDING MEMBER OF THE URUGUAYAN ASSOCIATION OF INTERNATIONAL LAW AND THE AUTHOR OF NUMEROUS SPECIALIZED LEGAL VOLUMES. BORN ON SEPTEMBER 20, 1928, HE IS MARRIED TO THE FORMER MARIA RAQUEL OLASO AND HAS FOUR CHILDREN.

4. COMMENT: LUPINACCI IS A POLISHED PROFESSIONAL, CORDIAL IN PERSONAL RELATIONS YET SOMEWHAT RESERVED IN DISCUSSIONS OF PROFESSIONAL MATTERS. HIS DESIGNATION, RUMORED SINCE THE APPOINTMENT AS MINISTER OF FOLLE MARTINEZ (WITH WHOM HE IS PERSONALLY CLOSE), COMPLETES THE RENEWAL OF THE MINISTRY'S HIERARCHY. THREE MODERATE PROFESSIONALS (FOLLE, LUPINACCI AND GIAMBRUNO) HAVE BEEN INSTALLED IN THE PRINCIPAL POSITIONS WHILE AIR FORCE COLONEL EGANA (A FORMER AIR ATTACHE IN WASHINGTON AND, LIKEWISE, A MODERATE) HAS BEEN CONFIRMED IN THE KEY POST OF DIRECTOR GENERAL. WE ANTICIPATE THAT THIS NEW TEAM WILL NOT ONLY BE MORE COHERENT THAN THE DISPARATE PREVIOUS COMBINATION OF ROVIRA, DELFANTE AND ALVARO ALVAREZ BUT ALSO MORE DESIROUS OF BETTERING RELATIONS WITH THE US AND MORE CAPABLE OF UNDERSTANDING EXACTLY WHAT FACTORS (I.E. HUMAN RIGHTS) SUCH AN IMPROVEMENT ENTAILS.
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